

gaming in Maryland through pre-emption of local gaming laws.

The Task Force had nine members. Five were appointed by the Governor in consultation with the Senate President and House Speaker. Two were senators chosen by the Senate President, and two were delegates selected by the House Speaker.

On December 15, 1995, the Task Force reported to the Governor, the Senate President, and the House Speaker.

TASK FORCE TO STUDY HEALTH PROFESSIONAL-CLIENT SEXUAL EXPLOITATION

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Appointed by Governor (who named chair): Carl F. Ameringer, Esq.; Ann C. Birk, M.D.; Stanley E. Block, D.D.S.; Delores P. Brooks; Rev. Carol Cole Flanagan; Francine B. Gemmill, R.N., C.S.-P.; Ann Hennessy, Ph.D.; John P. Herlehy; Hilda I. Houlihan, M.D.; Emanuel Mandel; Paula J. McCullough-Lawrence, D.C.; Jane E. Meyer; Catherine D. Nugent; Suzanne N. O'Meara; Sherry Russell; Judith A. Schank; Rabbi Julie Ringold Spitzer; Cynthia A. Sprehe.

Appointed by Senate President: Michael J. Collins; Paula C. Hollinger.

Appointed by House Speaker: Leonard H. Teitelbaum; David M. Valderrama.

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The Task Force to Study Health Professional-Client Sexual Exploitation was formed in 1993 (Chapter 299, Acts of 1993). The Task Force charge was to devise a strategy for preventing sexual exploitation of clients by health professionals (Code 1957, Art. 41, sec. 18-304).

On January 1, 1996, the Task Force reported to the Governor and General Assembly.

MARYLAND HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN CORP.

On July 1, 1995, United Student Aid Funds—a private, nonprofit guaranty agency that had previously administered Federal Family Education Loan Programs—was designated by the U.S. Department of Education to continue to fulfill the Corporation's function. This met the requirement for the Corporation to dissolve before June 30, 1996 (Chapter 109, Acts of 1994).

MARYLAND HOUSING RESOURCE CORP.

Abolished in 1995 (Chapter 58, Acts of 1995).

INSURANCE FRAUD ADVISORY COUNCIL

Formerly under the Insurance Fraud Division of the Maryland Insurance Commission, the Council has been inactive since 1995.

JUVENILE PROBATIONARY SCHOOL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Abolished in 1994 (Chapter 48, Acts of 1994).

LEAD PAINT POISONING COMMISSION

Authorization for the Lead Paint Poisoning Commission ended June 30, 1994 (Chapter 406, Acts of 1992). In 1994, the Lead Poisoning Prevention Commission was formed within the Department of the Environment (Chapter 114, Acts of 1994).

COMMISSION TO SAVE THE LIGHTHOUSES

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The Commission was abolished in 1996. No final report was issued.

PEABODY INSTITUTE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

Authorization for the Committee ended July 1, 1996 (Code State Finance and Procurement Article, secs. 7-317 through 7-323).

PUBLIC SERVICE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM ADVISORY BOARD

Formerly under the Maryland Higher Education Commission, the Board has been inactive since 1993.